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SUBJECT: UNIDO: INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD X, AGENDA  
ITEM-8A - INTERIM ARRANGEMENTS FOR GREATER AUTONOMY

REF: VIENNA 2641

1. USDEL MAY JOIN WITH OTHER DELEGATIONS IN TAKING NOTE OF  
SECRETARIAT'S REPORT CONTAINED IN ID/B/166.

2. USDEL SHOULD NOT GO ALONG WITH ANY DECISION OF THE IDB  
THAT PREJUDGES THE OUTCOME OF THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN  
UNIDO AND THE UN IN NEW YORK ON AUTONOMY OR WHICH  
ENDORSES GREATER SPECIFIC AUTONOMY IN PERSONNEL MATTERS  
FOR UNIDO. FIRM POSITION OF US WILL BE FORMULATED ONLY  
WHEN OUTCOME OF NEGOTIATIONS IS KNOWN.

3. COMMENT: WE MAINTAIN THE VIEW THAT SO LONG AS UNIDO  
REMAINS A PART OF THE UN ITSELF, RELYING ON THE REGULAR  
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UN BUDGET, ITS SECRETARIAT SHOULD REMAIN AN INTEGRAL

PART OF THE UN SECRETARIAT, SUBJECT TO THE SAME GENERAL POLICIES AND DIRECTIVES, UNDER THE AUTHORITY AND CONTROL OF THE UN SYG, AS THE OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL UNITS.

THEREFORE, WE HAVE SOME PROBLEM WITH "UNIDO ONLY" APPOINTMENTS FOR PERSONS WHOSE POSITIONS AND REMUNERATION ARE DRAWN FROM THE UN'S ASSESSED BUDGET. WE BELIEVE THAT OTHER UNITS OF THE UN MIGHT FOLLOW SUIT AND THEN FRAGMENTATION, EROSION OF THE SYG'S AUTHORITY AND POCKETS OF GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION QUOTAS MIGHT RESULT. ALSO, IT IS NOT UNLIKELY THAT THE UN MIGHT JUDGE LATER THAT "UNIDO ONLY" STAFF WOULD HAVE "ACQUIRED RIGHTS" TO JOBS ELSEWHERE IN THE UN IF APPOINTED TO THE UN SECRETARIAT AND PAID FROM THE ASSESSED BUDGET. WE WOULD BE MORE RELAXED ABOUT "UNIDO ONLY" APPOINTMENTS TO POSTS CHARGEABLE TO VOLUNTARY FUNDS UNDER THE CONTROL OF UNIDO.

4. COMMENT: THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH 8 OF ID/B/166 WOULD UNDESIRABLY DILUTE THE AUTHORITY OF THE UN APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION BOARD IN NEW YORK. ROBINSON

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